

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

Officer Involved Shooting

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Report Date: 04/23/04		Bureau/Station/Facility: Compton Station		Admin. Invest.? <input type="checkbox"/> Hit? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Incident Information					
URN: 004-06745-2814-013		Date: 04/23/04		Time: 0955 Hrs.	
City or Station: Compton		Nature of Incident: Deputy responded to an emergent call of a male attempting to set gas pumps on fire. An officer involved shooting then occurred.			
Location: 101 W. Compton Blvd., Compton					
Location Type (circle one or more): Backyard Beach <u>Business</u> Freeway Industrial Park Parking Lot Residence Rural School Street Other: _____	Lighting (circle only one): Darkness <u>Daylight</u> Other Street Lights		Incident Type (circle one or more): Accidental <u>Armed Person</u> Fleeing Suspect <u>Foot Pursuit</u> Gun Take Away Moving Vehicle Sniper/Ambush Startle <u>Struggle Involved</u> Traffic Stop Unarmed Person Unintentional Vehicle Pursuit Warrant Service Warning Shot Other: _____		Initiated by (circle only one): Arrest Warrant <u>Call</u> Observation One Person Unit Other Search Warrant Two Person Unit
	Weather (circle only one): <u>Clear</u> Cloudy Fog Rain				Prior Activity (circle only one): Detective Inmate Transport Other <u>Routine Patrol</u>
	Distance: _____				Aero Unit? <input type="checkbox"/> Canine Unit? <input type="checkbox"/>
Total # of Shots Fired by Deputy 1	Total # of Shots Fired by Suspect 0				
Employee Witnesses					
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day	ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day	ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day	ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty
Non-Employee Witnesses					
Last Name		First Name		M.I.	
Street Address		City	Zip Code	Work Ph	Home Ph
Last Name		First Name		M.I.	
Street Address		City	Zip Code	Work Ph	Home Ph
Last Name		First Name		M.I.	
Street Address		City	Zip Code	Work Ph	Home Ph
Supervisors					
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	(circle one or more): <u>On Duty</u> Present during shooting	
	Wesphal	Robert		Witness to shooting Involved in shooting	
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	(circle one or more): <u>On Duty</u> Present during shooting	
				Witness to shooting Involved in shooting	
Watch Sergeant					
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.		
	Valencia	Dominic	J.		
Watch Commander					
Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.		
	Booker	Earnest	R.		

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SH # 2116212

Rollout Information							
Arrival Date	04/23/04	Arrival Time	1130	Date Submitted	02/14/06	Date of Recommendation	
Employee #	[REDACTED]	Last Name	Reyes	First Name	Henry	M.I	J.
Employee #	[REDACTED]	Last Name	Landreth	First Name	Larry	M.I	L.
Employee #	[REDACTED]	Last Name	Jensen	First Name	Curtis	M.I	A.
Shooting / Force Information							

Method

(AW)	Arwen	(OV)	Other Weapon: Vehicle
(BC)	Baton:(Control)	(OB)	Other Weapon: Blunt Object
(BI)	Baton:(Impact)	(OO)	Other Weapon: Other
(BF)	Bodily Fluids	(PK)	Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Kick)
(CN)	Canine	(PS)	Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Sweep)
(CR)	Carotid Restraint	(PH)	Personal Weapon (Hand/Arm)
(CH)	Choke Hold	(PP)	Personal Weapon (Push)
(CT)	Control Holds:(Control Techniques)	(PO)	Personal Weapon (Other)
(TT)	Control Holds:(Team Takedown)	(RS)	Resistance
(TD)	Control Holds:(Takedown)	(CN)	Restraint Device (Capture Net)
(CE)	Chemical	(RH)	Restraint Device (Handcuffs)
(OC)	Chemical Agents (OC Spray)	(RB)	Restraint Device:Hobble (Legs Only)
(TG)	Chemical Agents (Tear Gas)	(TP)	Restraint Device:Hobble (TARP)
(EX)	Explosives	(RE)	Restraint Device: REACT Belt
(FH)	Firearm (Handgun)	(SP)	Sap
(FR)	Firearm (Rifle)	(SH)	Shield
(FS)	Firearm (Shotgun)	(SG)	37mm Stinger
(FO)	Firearm (Other)	(SB)	Sting Ball
(FB)	Flashbang	(ST)	Stun Bag
(FL)	Flashlight	(TR)	Taser
(OE)	Other Weapon: Edged	(UC)	Uncooperative

Brand

(AK)	AK-47	(IV)	Iver Johnson	(RI)	RGI
(BN)	Benelli	(JE)	Jennings	(RO)	Rossi
(BR)	Beretta	(LO)	Lorcin	(SW)	Smith & Wesson
(BW)	Browning	(LU)	Luger	(SR)	S&W Ruger
(CH)	Charter Arms	(MA)	Marlin	(ST)	Sterling
(CO)	Colt	(MO)	Mossberg	(TA)	Taurus
(DA)	Davis Industries	(NC)	NCI aka SKS	(WE)	Weatherby
(GL)	Glock	(NA)	North American	(WN)	Winchester
(HA)	Harrington & Richardson	(NO)	Norinco	(US)	US Government
(HI)	Hi Standard	(RA)	Raven	(YY)	Handmade (Inmate)
(HK)	H & K	(RM)	Remington	(XX)	Homemade (Non-Inmate)
(IT)	Ithica	(RG)	RG	(ZZ)	Other Brand

Type of Injury

(AB)	Abrasion
(BR)	Bruise
(BU)	Burn
(CP)	Complaint of Pain
(CO)	Concussion
(DH)	Death
(DI)	Dislocation
(DB)	Dog Bite
(FR)	Fractures
(GS)	Gunshot
(HB)	Human Bite
(LC)	Lacerations
(ND)	Nerve Damage
(OD)	Organ Damage
(PA)	Paralysis
(PW)	Puncture Wound
(SD)	Soft Tissue Damage
(ST)	Sprain/Twists
(UN)	Unconscious
(RM)	Refused Med Treatment
(NN)	NONE

Body Part Injured

(AD)	Abdomen
(AK)	Ankle
(AR)	Arm
(BK)	Back
(BT)	Buttocks
(CH)	Chest
(EL)	Elbow
(FA)	Face
(FE)	Feet
(FI)	Fingers
(GE)	Genitals
(GR)	Groin
(HD)	Hand
(HE)	Head
(HI)	Hip
(IN)	Internal
(KN)	Knees
(LE)	Leg
(NK)	Neck
(SH)	Shoulder
(WR)	Wrist

Caliber

(9) 9 mm	(24) .243 caliber	(41) .410 gauge
(10) 10 mm	(25) .25 caliber	(44) .44 caliber
(12) 12 gauge	(30) .308 caliber	(45) .45 caliber
(20) 20 gauge	(35) .357 caliber	(50) 50 mm
(21) 22-250	(36) 30-60 caliber	(SL) Slug
(22) .22 caliber	(38) .38 caliber	(WW) Other caliber
(23) .223 caliber	(40) .40 caliber	

FORCE APPLIED (one code per block)[illegible]

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Involved Employee

E 1	Employee #	Last Name Willis	First Name Anthony	M.I. R.
Sex: M	Race: W.	Rank Deputy	Unit Assignment: Compton Station	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Unit 284A
ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day		ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty		Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital Admission? <input type="checkbox"/>		Hospital Name:		Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting: 4-5		Duty Time (hrs):	Clothing (circle only one): Plain Clothes no Vest Plain Clothes w/ Vest Uniform w/ Vest Raid Jacket w/ Vest Uniform no Vest Raid Jacket no Vest	
Age: 600	Height: 190	Weight: 190	Other Factors:	
Range Qualification Date:		PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? <input type="checkbox"/>	Patrol Certification? <input type="checkbox"/>	Certification Unit:	Prior Shootings? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Number of Prior Shootings: 2
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.

E 2	Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Sex: M	Race: W.	Rank Deputy	Unit Assignment: Compton Station	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day		ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty		Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital Admission? <input type="checkbox"/>		Hospital Name:		Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting:		Duty Time (hrs):	Clothing (circle only one): Plain Clothes no Vest Plain Clothes w/ Vest Uniform w/ Vest Raid Jacket w/ Vest Uniform no Vest Raid Jacket no Vest	
Age: 510	Height: 185	Weight: 185	Other Factors:	
Range Qualification Date:		PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? <input type="checkbox"/>	Patrol Certification? <input type="checkbox"/>	Certification Unit:	Prior Shootings? <input type="checkbox"/>	Number of Prior Shootings:
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.

E	Employee #	Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Sex:	Race:	Rank:	Unit Assignment:	Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.):
ShiftTime (circle only one): EM PM Day		ShiftType (circle only one): Regular Overtime Off Duty		Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital Admission? <input type="checkbox"/>		Hospital Name:		Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>
Hrs of sleep prior to shooting:		Duty Time (hrs):	Clothing (circle only one): Plain Clothes no Vest Plain Clothes w/ Vest Uniform w/ Vest Raid Jacket w/ Vest Uniform no Vest Raid Jacket no Vest	
Age:	Height:	Weight:	Other Factors:	
Range Qualification Date:		PPC Qualification Date:	Laser Training Date:	
Certified with Weapon Used? <input type="checkbox"/>	Patrol Certification? <input type="checkbox"/>	Certification Unit:	Prior Shootings? <input type="checkbox"/>	Number of Prior Shootings:
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Field Training Officer Emp #		Last Name	First Name	M.I.

Officer Involved Shooting Suspect Information

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Suspect Information

S 1	Last Name Hendricks		First Name Cephas		M.I.
	AKA Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	Sex: M Race: B.	Street Address: [REDACTED]		City: [REDACTED]	State & Zip Code: [REDACTED]
	Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #: [REDACTED]	Driver's License #: [REDACTED]	
	Age: 43 D.O.B. 05/22/60	Height: 510 Weight: 142	FBI #: [REDACTED]	CII #: [REDACTED]	
	Booking #	Primary Charge: 664/187 PC		Secondary Charge: 664/451 PC	
	Coroner Case? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Coroner Case # 2004-03171	Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>	Substance Used:	
	Armed? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Apprehended? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mental Illness? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Criminal History? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Vehicle Make		Model:	Year:	
S	Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	AKA Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	Sex: Race:	Street Address:		City	State & Zip Code:
	Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:	
	Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #	
	Booking #	Primary Charge:		Secondary Charge:	
	Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>	Substance Used:	
	Armed? <input type="checkbox"/>	Apprehended? <input type="checkbox"/>	Mental Illness? <input type="checkbox"/>	Criminal History? <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Vehicle Make		Model:	Year:	
S	Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	AKA Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	Sex: Race:	Street Address:		City	State & Zip Code:
	Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:	
	Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #	
	Booking #	Primary Charge:		Secondary Charge:	
	Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>	Substance Used:	
	Armed? <input type="checkbox"/>	Apprehended? <input type="checkbox"/>	Mental Illness? <input type="checkbox"/>	Criminal History? <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Vehicle Make		Model:	Year:	
S	Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	AKA Last Name		First Name		M.I.
	Sex: Race:	Street Address:		City	State & Zip Code:
	Work Phone:	Home Phone:	Social Security #:	Driver's License #:	
	Age: D.O.B.	Height: Weight:	FBI #	CII #	
	Booking #	Primary Charge:		Secondary Charge:	
	Coroner Case? <input type="checkbox"/>	Coroner Case #	Intoxication/Drug Usage? <input type="checkbox"/>	Substance Used:	
	Armed? <input type="checkbox"/>	Apprehended? <input type="checkbox"/>	Mental Illness? <input type="checkbox"/>	Criminal History? <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Vehicle Make		Model:	Year:	

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Non-Employee Witnesses

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Incident Information

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Location: 101 W. Compton Blvd.		
City or Station: Compton		
Bureau/Station/Facility: Region II/ Compton Station	Admin. Investigation? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

Employee Witnesses

Emp #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Emp #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Emp #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name

Non-Employee Witnesses

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Age	D.O.B.
Street Address	City	Zip Code	Work Ph.	Home Ph.

On Duty Supervisor

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Rank	Present	Witness to Incident?
	Wesphal	Robert		SERGEANT	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Rank	Present	Witness to Incident?
					Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Watch Sergeant

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
	Valencia	Dominic	J.

Watch Commander

Emp. #	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
	Booker	Earnest	R.

Watch Commander's Signature: _____ Emp. #: _____

Copy Provided to Employee By: _____ Emp. #: _____

Supervisor Completing Form: SERGEANT GREGORY KEY Emp. #: _____

(Print)

Emp. #: _____ Date Signed: _____

Unit Commanders Signature: _____

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FO# <u>2137560</u>

Original: Unit Commander
Copy: P.S.T.D. Headquarters
Employee

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Method

(AW) Arwen	(FH) Firearm (Handgun)	(PO) Personal Weapon (Other)
(BC) Baton: (Control)	(FR) Firearm (Rifle)	(RS) Resistance
(BI) Baton: (Impact)	(FS) Firearm (Shotgun)	(CN) Restraint Device (Capture Net)
(BF) Bodily Fluids	(FO) Firearm (Other)	(RH) Restraint Device (Handcuffs)
(CN) Canine	(FB) Flashbang	(HB) Restraint Device: Hobble (Legs Only)
(CR) Carotid Restraint	(FL) Flashlight	(TP) Restraint Device: Hobble (TARP)
(CH) Choke Hold	(OE) Other Weapon: Edged	(RE) Restraint Device: REACT Belt
(CT) Control Holds: (Control Techniques)	(OV) Other Weapon: Vehicle	(SP) Sap
(TT) Control Holds: (Team Takedown)	(OB) Other Weapon: Blunt Object	(SH) Shield
(TD) Control Holds: (Takedown)	(OO) Other Weapon: Other	(SG) 37mm Stinger
(CE) Chemical	(PK) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Kick)	(SB) Sting Ball
(OC) Chemical Agents (OC Spray)	(PS) Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Sweep)	(ST) Stun Bag
(TG) Chemical Agents (Tear Gas)	(PH) Personal Weapon (Hand/Arm)	(TR) Taser
(EX) Explosives	(PP) Personal Weapon (Push)	(UC) Uncooperative

Type of Injury

(AB) Abrasion	(DB) Dog Bite	(PA) Paralysis
(BR) Bruise	(FR) Fractures	(PW) Puncture Wound
(BU) Burn	(GS) Gunshot	(SD) Soft Tissue Damage
(CP) Complaint of Pain	(HB) Human Bite	(ST) Sprain/Twists
(CO) Concussion	(LC) Lacerations	(UN) Unconscious
(DH) Death	(ND) Nerve Damage	(RM) Refused Med Treatment
(DI) Dislocation	(OD) Organ Damage	(NN) NONE

Body Part Injured

(AD) Abdomen	(FA) Face	(HI) Hip
(AK) Ankle	(FE) Feet	(IN) Internal
(AR) Arm	(FI) Fingers	(KN) Knees
(BK) Back	(GE) Genitals	(LE) Leg
(BT) Buttocks	(GR) Groin	(NK) Neck
(CH) Chest	(HD) Hands	(NO) Nose
(EL) Elbow	(HE) Head	(SH) Shoulder
		(WR) Wrist

Force Applied

(Only One Code Per Block)

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Involved Employee										
E 1	Employee #		Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		
			Willis			Anthony		Ross		
	Sex		Race		Unit of Assignment		Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.)			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		W.		Compton Station		Unit 284A			
	Shift		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> OT Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		Age		Height		Weight	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM				600		190		
Medical Exam/Treatment <input type="checkbox"/>					If Admitted, Name of Hospital			Coroner Case #		Directed Force <input type="checkbox"/>
										Significant Force <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E 2	Employee #		Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		
	Sex		Race		Unit of Assignment		Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.)			
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		W.		Compton Station					
	Shift		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> OT Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		Age		Height		Weight	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM				510		185		
Medical Exam/Treatment <input type="checkbox"/>					If Admitted, Name of Hospital			Coroner Case #		Directed Force <input type="checkbox"/>
										Significant Force <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
E	Employee #		Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		
	Sex		Race		Unit of Assignment		Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female									
	Shift		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> OT Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		Age		Height		Weight	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EM <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM								
Medical Exam/Treatment <input type="checkbox"/>					If Admitted, Name of Hospital			Coroner Case #		Directed Force <input type="checkbox"/>
										Significant Force <input type="checkbox"/>
E	Employee #		Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		
	Sex		Race		Unit of Assignment		Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female									
	Shift		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> OT Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		Age		Height		Weight	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EM <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM								
Medical Exam/Treatment <input type="checkbox"/>					If Admitted, Name of Hospital			Coroner Case #		Directed Force <input type="checkbox"/>
										Significant Force <input type="checkbox"/>
E	Employee #		Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		
	Sex		Race		Unit of Assignment		Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female									
	Shift		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Shift <input type="checkbox"/> OT Shift <input type="checkbox"/> Off Duty		Age		Height		Weight	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EM <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM								
Medical Exam/Treatment <input type="checkbox"/>					If Admitted, Name of Hospital			Coroner Case #		Directed Force <input type="checkbox"/>
										Significant Force <input type="checkbox"/>

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Suspect Information												
S 1	Last Name				First Name				Middle Name			
	Hendricks				Cephas							
	AKA Last Name				AKA First Name				AKA Middle Name			
Sex <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Race B.	Street Address			City			State & Zip Code			
Work Phone [REDACTED]		Home Phone [REDACTED]		Age 43	Height 510	Weight 142	D.O.B. 05/22/60		Armed? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Booking # Deceased		Primary Charge 664/187 PC				Secondary Charge 664/451 PC				Criminal History? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Hospital Admission? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Rec'd Treatment At Saint Francis Hospital				Coroners Case # 2004-03171				Mental History? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Under Influence? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		Substance						Photos of Suspects Injuries? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				
Suspect Interview												
Date Deceased						Time		Audiotape <input type="checkbox"/> Videotape <input type="checkbox"/>				

Suspect Information												
S	Last Name				First Name				Middle Name			
	AKA Last Name				AKA First Name				AKA Middle Name			
Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Race	Street Address			City			State & Zip Code			
Work Phone		Home Phone		Age	Height	Weight	D.O.B.		Armed? <input type="checkbox"/>			
Booking #		Primary Charge				Secondary Charge				Criminal History? <input type="checkbox"/>		
Hospital Admission? <input type="checkbox"/>		Rec'd Treatment At				Coroners Case #				Mental History? <input type="checkbox"/>		
Under influence? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		Substance						Photos of Suspects Injuries? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				
Suspect Interview												
Date						Time		Audiotape <input type="checkbox"/> Videotape <input type="checkbox"/>				

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Non-Employee Witnesses

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INVESTIGATIVE NARRATIVE
OFFICER INVOLVED - HIT SHOOTING, SUSPECT DECEASED
IAB FILE NUMBER: SH 2116212
004-16745-2814-013

DATE: April 23, 2004 (Friday)
TIME: 0955 hours
LOCATION: 101 W. Compton Blvd., Compton

On April 23, 2004, Sergeants Henry Reyes, Larry Landreth and Gregory Key of the Internal Affairs Bureau responded to 101 W. Compton Blvd., Compton (Chevron Gas Station/McDonald), regarding an officer involved hit shooting. Homicide Detectives Barry Hall and Kevin Lowe also responded and handled the criminal investigation. Lieutenant Jack Jordan of the Homicide Bureau briefed us. Members from the Risk Management Bureau, Training Bureau, Office of Independent Review and the District Attorney's Office were also present.

SYNOPSIS

On Friday, April 23, 2004, Deputies [REDACTED] and Anthony Willis were assigned to Compton station, day shift patrol. Deputy [REDACTED] worked as patrol unit [REDACTED] and Deputy Willis worked as Unit 284A. Both units responded to 101 W. Compton Blvd. (Chevron Gas Station/McDonald) regarding a dispatched call of a male attempting to set gas pumps on fire. The male was described as a male Black who was possibly on drugs or mentally ill. Upon their arrival they observed the suspect on the southeast island of the location. As they approached the suspect, they observed him holding a gas pump while striking matches. The deputies drew their weapons and ordered the suspect to drop the matches and the gas nozzle. The suspect refused, stating that he was going to blow the place up.

Deputy [REDACTED] holstered his weapon and pepper sprayed the suspect. The pepper spray did not disable the suspect, but appeared to cause him to become more agitated. The suspect took the gas nozzle and began breaking the windows of a vehicle that was parked near the gas pump.

Deputy Willis continued holding the suspect at gunpoint while Deputy [REDACTED] went to his vehicle and retrieved a taser. [REDACTED] deployed the taser, striking the suspect in the torso. The taser had little effect. The suspect dropped the gas nozzle and began walking away. [REDACTED] continued to apply voltage from the taser. The suspect stiffened up when the voltage was applied, but refused to comply with orders to lie on the ground, and began walking away.

Deputy [REDACTED] saw that the suspect was pulling the electrodes out of his skin and reasoned that he needed to get closer to the suspect and place the taser sensors directly to the suspect's skin. Deputy Willis lowered his weapon and attempted to distract the suspect so that [REDACTED] could approach him safely. The deputies followed the suspect as he entered the Chevron gas station. Once inside the

Chevron station the suspect attacked a male patron, placing him in a bar choke hold. The victim was unable to release himself from the suspect's grip. The suspect and victim fell to the floor. The victim began choking and gasping for air. Neither the victim nor the deputies were able to loosen the suspect's grip from the victim's neck.

Deputy [REDACTED] applied the taser to the suspect's neck (contact shot). The application had little effect. The suspect rolled the victim to his right in an effort to use him as a shield. Fearing for the victim's life, Deputy Willis drew his weapon duty weapon (H&K 45 caliber firearm) and from point blank range, fired one round, striking the suspect. Suspect Hendricks suffered a single through and through gunshot, which entered the left side of his chest. Compton Fire Department responded to the scene. Paramedics Roman and Verastegain pronounced the suspect dead at 1015 hours.

INVOLVED PERSONNEL THAT USED DEADLY FORCE

Willis, Anthony, Deputy # [REDACTED] MW/[REDACTED] 601 195
Region II
Compton Station

Date of Employment: 11/08/94
Date assigned to Compton: 01/28/01
Date completed patrol training: [REDACTED]
Prior Shooting Incidents: 2
Prior founded uses of force: [REDACTED]

INVOLVED PERSONNEL THAT USED LESS THAN DEADLY FORCE

[REDACTED], Deputy # [REDACTED] MW/[REDACTED] 601 195
Region II
Compton Station

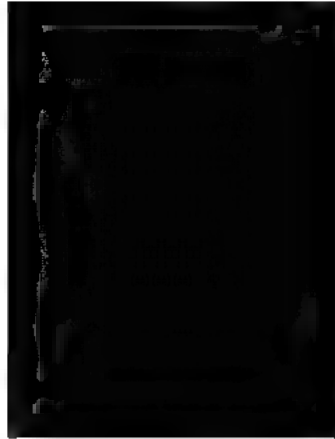
Date of Employment: [REDACTED]
Date assigned to Compton: [REDACTED]
Date completed patrol training: [REDACTED]
Prior Shooting Incidents: [REDACTED]
Prior uses of force: [REDACTED]

SUSPECT/INMATE:

Hendricks, Cephas, (Deceased) 05/22/60 MB/43 5'10" 162

Arrest History: A check of Suspect Hendricks' Consolidated Criminal History revealed [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

CIVILIAN WITNESSES:



INJURIES: No deputies were injured. Suspect Hendricks is deceased, suffering a single gunshot to his chest

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE: See Exhibit A, page 32-35.

INVESTIGATOR OBSERVATIONS:

I observed a vehicle in the gas station with its windows broken out.

WEAPONS USED BY DEPUTY PERSONNEL:

Deputy Willis fired one round from his duty weapon, H&K 45 caliber firearm. Deputy [REDACTED] deployed the taser and oleoresin capicum (OC) spray.

WEAPONS USED BY SUSPECTS:

Suspect Hendricks used a gas hose and nozzle against deputies, physical force against a citizen, and attempted to blow up gas pumps by setting them on fire.

PROPERTY DAMAGE:

No property was damaged as a result of any deputies actions.

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATOR:

Homicide Detectives Barry Hall and Kevin Lowe

LIGHTING OR WEATHER CONDITIONS:

The incident occurred during daytime hours. The weather was hot and sunny.

INVOLVED EMPLOYEES STATEMENTS:

Deputy Anthony Willis

On Friday, April 23, 2004, at 1430 hours, Sheriff's Department Homicide Investigators interviewed Deputy Anthony Willis. This interview was conducted at Compton Sheriff's Station and was recorded. Below is a synopsis of the recorded interview. For a complete content of the interview with Deputy Anthony Willis, refer to the audio tape which is a permanent part of this investigation.

Deputy Willis stated that he is currently assigned to Compton Station and works day shift patrol, as unit 284A. Willis stated that he heard over L-TAC that a male Black was at the Chevron station holding a gas pump and matches, threatening to blow the station up. Willis said that he was only two blocks west of the location. He further stated that he knew Deputy [REDACTED] was responding from the west and would arrive five to ten seconds before him.

Deputy Willis said that Deputy [REDACTED] approached first and had either a gun or taser in his hand. Willis said that he saw a gas pump in the suspect's left hand, which he was holding at shoulder level, and another unknown item in his right. Willis stated that [REDACTED] ordered the suspect several times to drop the hose and step away from the pumps. Willis said that the suspect stated he had done nothing wrong and that people were lying on him. Willis stated that [REDACTED] then approached the suspect and pepper sprayed him. The suspect then began advancing toward [REDACTED] while squeezing the gas pump.

Deputy Willis said that he observed the red dot from the taser on the suspect's chest. The suspect continued to squeeze the nozzle. Willis stated that [REDACTED] then fired the taser and that the darts struck the suspect, but had no effect. Willis said that the suspect tensed up for approximately five seconds but did not fall to the ground. He stated that the suspect regained his composure and appeared extremely angry. Willis said that the suspect ran through the parking lot and into the east side entrance of the Chevron station. Willis stated that both he and [REDACTED] chased the suspect.

Deputy Willis said that the suspect grabbed a customer, who was standing at the counter, and began choking him. The suspect then took the customer by the neck and threw him to the ground. Once on the ground, the suspect ended up on his back with the victim on top, facing upward. Willis said that the suspect had a bar choke on the victim and that he could hear the victim gasping for air.

Deputy Willis said that he and Deputy [REDACTED] struggled with the suspect in an attempt to free the victim. He further stated that [REDACTED] moved the suspect's head to one side and directly applied the taser to the suspect's neck. Willis said that he heard the taser clicking (indicating that it was working), but stated it had no effect and that the suspect continued choking the victim.

Deputy Willis said that he feared for the victim's life. He stated that he had exhausted all other means and felt he had no other option but to use deadly force. Willis stated that he moved forward

and fired one round from his departmentally approved .45 caliber automatic firearm. He stated that he was three to four inches away from the suspect when he fired into the suspect's chest. Willis said that the suspect immediately released the victim and he (Willis) then pulled the victim away from the suspect. **For further, see Exhibit A, page 26-27.**

Deputy [REDACTED]

On Friday, April 23, 2004, at 1430 hours, Sheriff's Department Homicide Investigators interviewed Deputy [REDACTED]. This interview was conducted at Compton Sheriff's Station. Below is a synopsis of the recorded interview. For a complete content of the interview with Deputy [REDACTED] refer to the audio tape which is a permanent part of this investigation.

Deputy [REDACTED] stated substantially the same as Deputy Willis. He added that he arrived within seconds of the call. Upon his arrival he saw the suspect standing next to the gas pumps. [REDACTED] said that a female with a silver vehicle was also standing next to the pumps and that the suspect was waving his arms wildly and the female appeared to be alarmed. [REDACTED] stated that patrons were pointing at the suspect and stating, "that's him." [REDACTED] said that he observed that the suspect had a gas pump nozzle in his right hand and was holding a book of matches in his left hand, which he was trying to light.

Deputy [REDACTED] said that he feared the suspect was going to blow up the station, so he drew his weapon and ordered the suspect to lie on the ground. The suspect refused. Deputy Willis arrived and ordered the suspect to drop the gas nozzle and move away. [REDACTED] said the suspect appeared to be under the influence of drugs and began shouting profanities at them. The suspect said he was not doing anything wrong. Carron told the suspect to drop the nozzle and not to make him shoot him. The suspect told [REDACTED] to go ahead and shoot. The suspect then turned his attention to Willis. [REDACTED] said that he approached the suspect and sprayed him with oleoresin capicum spray (OC). The suspect flinched and turned away. [REDACTED] stated that he sprayed the suspect a second time and the suspect walked away and returned to the pump area.

Deputy [REDACTED] said that he went to his patrol vehicle and retrieved his departmentally issued taser. [REDACTED] advised Deputy Willis, who was still holding the suspect at gunpoint, that he was going to tase the suspect. When the suspect observed the light from the taser on his chest he told [REDACTED] to go ahead and shoot him. The suspect then turned his back to [REDACTED] said that he fired the taser, striking the suspect. The suspect arched his back, dropped the matches, but held onto the gas nozzle. [REDACTED] stated that the suspect then looked at him with an enraged stare and said, "I am going to kill you." He then began swinging the hose and nozzle over his head and threw it toward [REDACTED]. The nozzle broke out the rear window of a silver vehicle. [REDACTED] said that he reactivated the M-25 taser. He said that the darts were still in the suspect and that he knew the taser was working because he could hear the relay. [REDACTED] said that the taser had no effect on the suspect. The suspect then charged at [REDACTED] with the nozzle and hose. The suspect bounced the nozzle off the roof of the car

and broke out the vehicle's window. [REDACTED] stated that the suspect then charged toward him.

Deputy [REDACTED] said that the suspect ran past him, running toward the front doors of the Chevron station. He stated that he noticed one of the taser darts had dislodged. He stated that the suspect ran inside the station and attacked a patron (Witness [REDACTED]). Both the victim and the suspect fell to the floor with the suspect placing [REDACTED] in a bar choke hold. [REDACTED] said that the suspect had his right forearm across the victim's neck and his left hand was applying pressure to his right wrist. He stated that the victim began choking and could not break free.

Deputy [REDACTED] said that he used the taser as a stun gun, placing it on the suspect's neck. The suspect rolled the victim on top and used him as a shield. [REDACTED] stated the victim began gurgling. [REDACTED] said that he then shoved the suspect's head to the side and contact tased the right side of his neck. The contact had no effect. [REDACTED] stated that Deputy Willis advised him to back away because he was going to shoot the suspect. [REDACTED] said that he moved away, but that Willis was unable to shoot because of the suspect/victim's position. The suspect continued choking the victim, who was now flailing about. Carron said that the suspect moved to his right side and he ([REDACTED] reached for his own weapon. [REDACTED] stated that Willis then made contact with the suspect and fired one round under the suspect's left shoulder, simultaneously removing the victim from the suspect's grasp. [REDACTED] stated that if Willis had not shot he would have because he felt the suspect was going to kill the victim. **For further, see Exhibit A, page 28-30.**

CIVILIAN WITNESS STATEMENTS:

Witness [REDACTED]

Witness [REDACTED] stated that he is the manager of the Chevron station. He stated that customers were complaining about the suspect harassing people in the parking lot, washing windows and asking for money. [REDACTED] stated that approximately forty-five minutes later he spoke to the suspect and asked him to leave. The suspect began cursing and threatened to blow up the gas station. [REDACTED] then instructed a clerk to call Compton Sheriff's station. While waiting for deputies to arrive, [REDACTED] observed the suspect hold a gas pump in one hand and ignite a paper towel with the other. The suspect dropped the paper towel when it burned his hand. [REDACTED] said that he then ordered the clerk to place an emergent call into the Sheriff's station.

Witness [REDACTED] stated that he observed the first sheriff's unit arrive. The deputy drew his weapon and pointed it at the suspect. The suspect attempted to light another paper towel while continuing to hold the gas pump. The deputy ordered him to drop it. The suspect dropped the matches, but immediately began smashing the window of the car with the gas hose nozzle. [REDACTED] stated that the deputy holstered his gun and peppered sprayed the suspect in the face. He said that the suspect wiped his eyes, moved to the rear of a vehicle and began swinging the nozzle, striking the rear of the vehicle.

Witness [REDACTED] said that a second sheriff's unit arrived and the deputy almost immediately tased the suspect. [REDACTED] stated that the suspect flinched and shrugged off the effects of the taser. He stated that the suspect then began running toward him. [REDACTED] said that he ran around a car, which prevented the suspect from catching him. He stated that the suspect then ran inside the gas station, grabbed a customer, and began choking him. [REDACTED] described the suspect's actions as having his forearm under the victim's chin and across his esophagus. [REDACTED] said the customer was turning red and panicking.

Witness [REDACTED] said that he watched, while standing outside and looking through the southside doors. He observed the suspect and customer fall. He stated that the customer ended up on top of the suspect, with the suspect choking him from behind. [REDACTED] said that the deputies told the suspect to stay down. He stated that in one motion, one of the deputies pulled the victim up while the other one shot the suspect. [REDACTED] said that although he heard the shot he was unable to see what was occurring when the shot went off. **For further, see Exhibit A, page 24-26.**

Witness [REDACTED]

On Friday, April 23, 2004, Sheriff Department Homicide Investigators interviewed Witness [REDACTED]. This interview was conducted at Compton Sheriff's Station. Below is a synopsis of the recorded interview. For a complete content of the interview with Witness [REDACTED] refer to the audio tape which is a permanent part of this investigation.

Witness [REDACTED] said that she was pumping gas into her vehicle when the suspect (Cephas Hendricks) approached her and wrestled the nozzle away from her. Hendricks then attempted to light a match and start a fire. [REDACTED] stated that the suspect said that he was going to blow the place up. She stated that she remained in the parking lot when the deputies arrived. She then stated substantially the same as Deputy Willis and [REDACTED]. **See Exhibit A - pages 66-67.**

Witness [REDACTED]

On Friday, April 23, 2004, Sheriff Department Homicide Investigators interviewed Witness [REDACTED]. This interview was conducted at Compton Sheriff's Station. Below is a synopsis of the recorded interview. For a complete content of the interview with Witness [REDACTED] refer to the audio tape which is a permanent part of this investigation.

Witness [REDACTED] stated that he was a patron inside the Chevron gas station and was standing in the food mart section, when he noticed a disturbance by the gas pumps. [REDACTED] said that he heard the suspect say that he was going to kill the manger and blow the place up. [REDACTED] stated that he observed the suspect with matches in his hands prior to him grabbing the gas nozzle. He then observed the suspect waving a gas nozzle in the air and stated that gas was coming out of it. He also observed the suspect smashing the windows out of a vehicle. [REDACTED] said that he saw the deputies arrive and confront the suspect. He then observed the deputies pepper spray the suspect and tase him, but said that neither procedure had any effect on him.

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SUSPECT/INMATE STATEMENTS:

Suspect Cephas Hendricks

Suspect Hendricks made no statements and was pronounced dead at the scene. **Refer to Exhibit A.**